

CHAPTER 22 COAL DEALERS

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2200 GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 2200.1 No person shall sell coal in the District of Columbia except a licensed dealer or the licensed agent of a licensed dealer.
- 2200.2 Each dealer in coal and each person selling coal as an agent shall secure a license for each year or part of a year.
- 2200.3 Violation of any of the provisions of this chapter shall subject the offender to the penalties prescribed in D.C. Code §47-2846 (1981).

SOURCE: Commissioners' Order 298,901/1, issued March 7, 1939, 5X DCRR §1.2.

2201 APPLICATION FOR LICENSE

- 2201.1 Each application for a coal dealer's license shall be made on a form prescribed by the Mayor.
- 2201.2 Each application shall contain the following information:
- (a) The name and address of applicant;
 - (b) The name under which business is conducted;
 - (c) The form of ownership (individual, partnership, or corporation);
 - (d) The address of the principal place of business;
 - (e) If a partnership, the names and addresses of all partners;
 - (f) If a corporation, the names and addresses of officers and directors, the date of incorporation, the jurisdiction of incorporation, and the amount of capital stock;
 - (g) The number of trucks owned or operated for use of the coal business;

- (h) The date of commencement of business under name indicated;
- (i) The number of tons of coal sold during the preceding calendar year;
- (j) Whether the owner or any partner, officer, or director has any financial interest in any other concern selling coal in the District of Columbia. If so, the name of the concern(s);
- (k) The location of yards or other storage space used by the business; and
- (l) Any other information that may be required by the Mayor.

2201.3 Each application shall be sworn to before an officer authorized to administer oaths.

SOURCE: Commissioners' Order 298,901/1, issued March 7, 1939, 5X DCRR §1.1a.

2202 METAL LICENSE PLATES

2202.1 Each coal dealer required to be licensed shall be provided with metal plates for each truck owned by the licensee and used for delivery of coal.

2202.2 Each metal plate shall contain the following:

- (a) A number, which also shall be stated on the truck license;
- (b) The words "Licensed Coal Truck - District of Columbia;" and
- (c) The expiration date of the license.

2202.3 The number and date on the metal plate shall be in letters and figures not less than two inches (2") in height.

2202.4 The metal license plate shall be conspicuously attached on the left side of each vehicle.

2202.5 The number of metal license plates issued to a licensee shall not exceed the number of licensed trucks owned or operated by that licensee unless additional application in prescribed form setting forth sufficient cause is made, under oath, for each additional license plate.

2202.6 No coal dealer shall permit use of any license plate issued under this section by any person other than the dealer.

2202.7 No person shall use any license plate issued to any person other than himself or herself.

SOURCE: Commissioners' Order 298,901/1, issued March 7, 1939, 5X DCRR §§1.1b, 1.1c, and 1.3b.

2203 COAL TRUCK LICENSE

2203.1 Each coal truck license shall contain the following information:

- (a) The name and address of owner of vehicle;
- (b) The coal truck license plate number;
- (c) The date of issuance and the date of expiration;
- (d) The motor vehicle registration number;
- (e) The year and place of registration;
- (f) The make, weight, and motor number of the vehicle;
- (g) The serial number of the body of the vehicle, if any;
- (h) The coal capacity of the vehicle in cubic feet (ft.³);
- (i) The number of permanent compartments in the vehicle and the capacity of each compartment in cubic feet (ft.³); and
- (j) The number of sideboards on the vehicle, if any.

2203.2 The license shall be in the possession of the operator of the truck or other vehicle when in use, and the driver shall exhibit the license on demand.

2203.3 Each application for a coal truck license shall be made under oath on a form prescribed by the Mayor, and shall contain the information required under §2203.1.

2203.4 In the case of any truck or other vehicle that is the subject of a conditional sales agreement, chattel mortgage, or any other document or agreement by virtue of which title remains in the seller pending the payment of the purchase price, the vendee or mortgagor shall be deemed the owner of the vehicle so long as the vehicle remains in his or her possession or control.

2203.5 Each coal truck or other vehicle for which application for a license is made shall be inspected by an Inspector of Weights, Measures, and Markets, who shall certify on the application as to the correctness of the information contained in the application.

SOURCE: Commissioners' Order 298,901/1, issued March 7, 1939, 5X DCRR §§1.3d, 1.3e, 1.3f, and 1.3g.

2204 COAL DEALERS' AGENTS

2204.1 Each person selling coal as an agent shall secure a license for each year or part of a year.

2204.2 No license shall be issued to any person to sell coal as an agent except as the agent of a licensed coal dealer.

2204.3 Each application shall contain the following information:

- (a) The name and address of applicant;

- (b) The name and address of dealer for whom the applicant will sell coal, with the number of that dealer's license;
- (c) The length of time applicant has been selling coal, if any;
- (d) The names and addresses of employers for the past five (5) years;
- (e) Crimes of which the applicant has been convicted, if any;
- (f) Whether the applicant has ever secured a license from any other District department and which department;
- (g) The names and addresses of at least three (3) references;
- (h) A statement from the dealer setting forth that the applicant is the dealer's authorized agent; and
- (i) Any other information required by the Mayor.

2204.4 Each application for a license as agent to sell coal shall be made on a form prescribed by the Mayor.

2204.5 Each application shall be sworn to before an officer authorized to administer oaths.

SOURCE: Commissioners' Order 298,901/1, issued March 7, 1939, 5X DCRR §§1.2a and 1.2b.